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SUBJECT: SMITHSONIAN FOLKLIFE FESTIVAL

REF: STATE 90503

1. FIRST U/S MINCUL STATES THAT, WHILE MINISTRY WOULD LIKE TO ARRANGE PARTICIPATION IN 1976 FESTIVAL, IT DOES NOT HAVE SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO MEET ITS SHARE OF THE EXPENSES. REQUEST TO MFA FOR ASSISTANCE NOT YET ANSWERED BUT A NEGATIVE RESPONSE IS ANTICIPATED. THIS ENTIRELY UNDERSTANDABLE GIVEN GOE'S SEVERE BUDGETARY PROBLEMS AND CURRENT AUSTERITY PROGRAM.

2. MAJOR PROBLEM IS INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION WHICH SMITHSONIAN HAD INITIALLY HOPED TO BE ABLE TO COVER. U/S BELIEVES THAT IF THAT EXPENSE COULD BE MET, MINISTRY COULD PROBABLY MANAGE THE REST.

3. WHILE THIS DOES NOT CONSTITUTE FORMAL OR FINAL ANSWER, BELIEVE IT QUITE CLEAR THAT EGYPT WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN FESTIVAL UNLESS TRANSPORTATION IS PROVIDED. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER OR NOT SMITHSONIAN OR OTHER SOURCE OF FUNDING POSSIBLE.

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